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8                   UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9                   EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
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11                   UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

12                   Plaintiff,

13                   v.

14                   TEODORO COLLADO-ARCE,

15                   Defendant.

16                   NO. CR-11-008-RHW  
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18                   **ORDER DISMISSING  
19                   INDICTMENT**

20                   Before the Court is the Government's Motion to Dismiss (ECF No. 45). This  
21 motion was heard without oral argument. The Government voluntarily seeks dismissal  
22 of the Indictment in this case under Fed. R. Crim. P. 48(a). The court makes no  
23 judgment as to merit or wisdom of this dismissal.

24                   Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

25                   1. The Government's Motion to Dismiss (ECF No. 45) is **GRANTED**. The  
26 Indictment in the above-captioned matter is **dismissed with prejudice**.

27                   **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The District Court Executive is directed to enter this  
28 Order, forward copies to counsel, and **close the file**.

29                   **DATED** this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2011.

30                   s/Robert H. Whaley  
31                   ROBERT H. WHALEY  
32                   United States District Judge  
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34                   **ORDER DISMISSING INDICTMENT \* 1**

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